



UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Docket No.
2000P20473

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Stefan BOEHM, Martin SPAHN and Thomas VON DER HAAR corresponding to German applications filed November 24, 2000, under No. 10058388.1 and May 11, 2001, under No. 10122876.7, entitled: METHOD FOR OPERATING AN IMAGE SYSTEM OF AN IMAGING MEDICAL EXAMINATION DEVICE AND MEDICAL EXAMINATION DEVICE

Enclosed are:

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